

**American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) Funding  
City of Alexandria  
As of April 2011**

As of April 2011, the City of Alexandria has been awarded \$18.7 million in federal grant funds on a competitive and formula basis through the American Recovery & Reinvestment Act of 2009 ("ARRA"). Of this funding, about \$13.2 million is being spent on transportation infrastructure and transit projects. The remaining grant funds are allocated for energy efficiency and conservation projects (\$1.3 million), the expansion of early childhood programs (\$0.7 million), social safety net programs (\$1.6 million), one-time expenditures on public safety projects (\$0.3 million), and to fund 12 firefighter positions for a two-year period (\$1.6 million). As of April 2011, the City has expended or encumbered \$6.9 million of the \$18.7 million (or 37.1%) in federal ARRA grants awarded to the City.

Additional ARRA benefits the City has accrued, but which are not included in the \$17.1 million listed above, include a 35 percent Build America Bonds (BAB) interest rate subsidy from the federal government. In June 2009 the City sold \$79.7 million in general obligation bonds, of which \$44.5 million were sold as BAB bonds resulting in a reimbursement to the City of \$13.2 million over the 20-year life span of the bonds. The City will also save \$12.4 million over the 20-year life span of \$72.3 million in general obligation bonds sold in July 2010. Of the total amount of bonds sold in July 2010, \$55.3 million were sold as BAB bonds. Together this equals \$25.6 million over the 20-years of the bonds. Total BAB reimbursements were \$0.4 million in FY 2010 and \$1.6 million in FY 2011.

The City's total stimulus award does not include federal funding provided to the Alexandria City Public Schools (ACPS). Since FY 2009, ACPS has received approximately \$8.4 million in stimulus funds from the federal government.

<b>ARRA Grant Program</b>	<b>Total Grant Award</b>
<b>Grants Awarded to and Being Implemented by the City of Alexandria</b>	
Workforce Investment Programs	\$243,044
Homelessness Prevention and Rapid Re-Housing	\$487,214
Community Service Block Grant (CSBG)	\$265,988
Byrne Justice Assistance Grant - City Allocation	\$323,939
Domestic Violence STOP Grant	\$36,884
Community Development Block Grant (CDBG)	\$335,003
CSB Early Intervention - Part C	\$154,418
Senior Nutrition Program	\$35,545
Head Start Program - Quality Improvements	\$127,481
Head Start Program Expansion	\$577,864
Energy Efficiency & Conservation Block Grant (EECBG)	\$1,372,800
Special Regional Surface Transportation Allocation	\$4,013,775
TIGER (Regional COG/TPB Transportation/Transit)	\$9,170,000
Staffing for Adequate Fire & Emergency Response (SAFER)	\$1,634,801
<b>Total Grant Awards</b>	<b>\$18,778,756</b>